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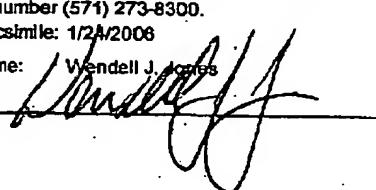
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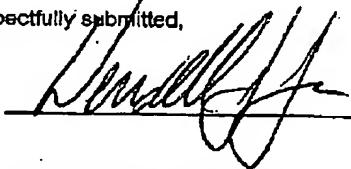
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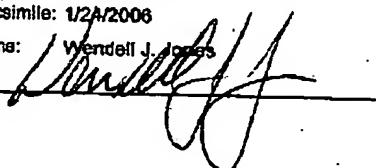
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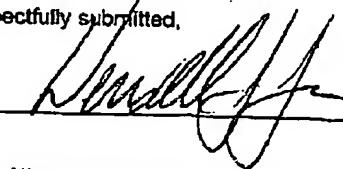
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the above-identified application:

Amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.